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AMENDMENT AND COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO FEBRUARY 11, 2002 NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES

This Amendment and Communication is submitted in response to a Notice To Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 11, 2002 in connection with the above identified application. A copy of the Notice is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**. A response to the February 11, 2002 Notice is due April 11, 2002. Accordingly, this response is being timely filed.

In the Specification

Please replace page 81 with the replacement page attached hereto as **Exhibit B**. The change to the initially submitted page 81 is indicated in the marked up page attached hereto as **Exhibit C**. The change conforms the numbering of the sequences in the specification to correspond to the numbering of the sequence listing. No new matter is introduced.